

M.A. SOCIOLOGY (REGULAR)

SEMESTER –I

2022-2023 ONWARDS



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SEMESTER – I

SOC101 - PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY

UNIT – I:

Sociology: Its Definitions, Nature, Scope, Emergence and Methods. Sociology as Science and its relationship with other Social Sciences (Social Anthropology, Political Science, Economics, History, Psychology etc). Major Theoretical Perspectives and Basic Orientation of Sociological Theories. Importance, Applications and Research Fields of Sociology.

UNIT – II:

Basic concepts: Society: Its Definitions, Nature, Characteristics, Functions and Theories of Evolution. Typology of Society: Tribal, Agrarian/Peasant, Rural, Urban, Industrial and Post-Industrial. Society and Individual - Influence of Heredity and Environment on Personality Development – Community – Association – Culture. Social Group: Its Classification. Elements of Social Structure and Social System – Role, Status, Values, Norms – Social Institutions..

UNIT – III:

Social Interaction: Social Processes – Associative and Disassociative.

Socialization: Meaning, Agencies and Significant Theories.

Social Institutions: Family, Marriage and Kinship – their Classification, Patterns and Usages.

UNIT – IV:

Social Institutions: Education, Polity and Religion.

Economy: Concept of Property, Economic Systems of Simple and Complex Societies - Free Market and Planned Economy.

Polity: Power, Authority and Legitimacy – Civil Society - Political Socialization and Modernization; Pressure Groups.

UNIT – V:

Social Stratification and Mobility: Significant Characteristics of Social Stratification; Forms and Functions; Caste, Class, Gender and Estate; Theories of Social Stratification; Concept of Social Mobility and Types of Social Mobility; Social Control; Deviance and Conformity; Means and Agencies of Social Control.

Social Change: Theories and Factors of Social Change.

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SEMESTER – I

SOC102: CLASSICAL SOCIOLOGICAL THOUGHT

Unit-I:

Development of Thought –Introduction to Sociological Theories; Typologies of Social Theory – Pre-Modern, Modern & Post-Modern, Micro & Macro Theories; Influence of Industrial and French Revolution on Sociological thought.

Auguste Comte: Life and Major Writings; Positivism - Enlightenment and Conservative Reaction - Sociology: The Birth of a New Social Science - Hierarchy of Sciences - Law of three stages – Social Static and Dynamic.

Unit-II:

Herbert Spencer: Theory of Organic Analogy; Theory of Evolution; Military and Industrial Society.

Vilfred Pareto: Logical and Non-logical actions; Residues and Derivations; Theory of Social Utility; Theory of Circulation of Elites.

Unit-III:

Karl Marx: Life & Major Works; Dialectical Materialism and Materialistic Interpretation of History, Concept of Classes, Theory of Class and Class Conflict – Surplus Value - Alienation and its Social Implications. Ideology and Capitalism -Theory of Religion.

Unit-IV:

Emile Durkheim: Rules of Sociological Method; Theory of Social Facts, Division of Labour, Social Solidarity: Mechanical and Organic. Collective Consciousness and Anomie, Elementary Forms of Religious life: Nature of Religion, Sacred and Profane; Totemism; Suicide:Types and Causes; Suicide and Social Structure.

Unit-V:

Max Weber: Social Action, Types of Social Action;Verstehen; Causalityand Ideal Types.Values; Power and Authority;Types of Authority; Class, Status and Party; Religion and the Rise of Capitalism; Bureaucracy.

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| Abraham, J.H. | Origin and Development of Sociology. |
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SEMESTER – I

SOC103 - RURAL AND URBAN SOCIOLOGY

UNIT –I:

Definition, Meaning, Nature and scope of Rural and Urban Sociology – Rural and Urban Society Characteristics – Rural Urban Differences and Continuum – Notion of Village, Town/City– Agriculture and Industrial Revolution-Causes of Urbanization - Relation between Urbanization and Industrialization. Population in Rural and Urban Areas – Its Growth and Implications.

UNIT –II:

Social Structure of Rural & Urban Communities – Caste, Jati, Ethnicity, – Inter-caste Relationship, Jajmani System –Major Theoretical Perspectives in Urban Sociology - Patterns of Urban Growth – Urban Ecology-Concentric Zone theory - Hoyt’s sector theory, Multiple-nuclei theory –Central place theory – Urbanism as a way of life.

UNIT –III:

Rural economy in India-Rural Development - Programmes in India-Rural Unrest-Green Revolution and its Social Implications; Sustainable Development – Industrial Growth and Urbanization - Migration: Factors, Problems and Prospects – Urbanization and Development – Identity, Culture, Contradictions and Social Tensions in Cities –Ecology and Environment in Slums, Urban Slums: Problems and Solutions – Changing Urban Life – its Ramifications.

UNIT –IV:

Village Governance in India – Panchayati Raj System: its impact on Rural India-Land Reforms - Social change in Village India in the context of Liberalization and Globalization. Rural Unrest – Suicides of Farmers and Weavers – Devastation of Artisan Profession and its effect on Rural Economy.

Unit – V:

City/Town Planning – Concept, Theory and Practice -Urban Problems – Traffic Congestion and Transportation – Sewerage and Waste Disposal – Drinking Water – Problems of Unplanned Settlements – its impact on Health, Education, Employment, Environment & Pollution in Cities;Urban Pollution – Air, Water, Noise in Cities – Government Measures– Interventions of NGOs - National Urbanization Policy in India.

References:

Rural Sociology

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2. AlreinBetrand : Rural Sociology
3. Loomis Beegle : Rural Sociology
4. D.N.Majumdar(Ed) : Rural profiles
5. S.C. Dube : Indian village
6. Ishwaran : Tradition and economy in village India
7. Beidelman : A Comparative analysis of the Jajmani System
8. Makim Marriot(Ed) : Village India
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10. M.N.Srinivas : India’s villages
11. Andre Beteille : Studies in Agrarian Social Structure
12. GopallLaljain : Rural Development
13. A.N.Agarwal : Indian Economy

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SEMESTER – I

SOC104 - SOCIAL STRATIFICATION AND SOCIAL MOBILITY

UNIT-I :

Social Differentiation and Social Stratification-Attributes of Social Stratification-Dimensions of Stratification: Perspectives and Concepts in the study of Social Stratification and Social Mobility; Social inequality in historical and contemporary contexts - Indices of inequality-life chances and life styles; Principle types of stratification systems: Caste, Class, Estate and Gender.

UNIT-II :

Theoretical Perspectives: Contributions of Karl Marx and Max Weber to the understanding of Social Stratification; Functional theory of stratification (Davis-Moor's theories); Parson's theory of stratification; Lenski's theory of stratification.

UNIT-III:

Caste system in India. Present situation of caste in rural and urban areas – Changing Trends in the Caste System in Contemporary Indian Society – Future of Caste in India - Class-definition of class - Classes in Industrial and Economically developing societies; Middle Classes and its Role in Development Societies..

Unit-IV:

Relationship between social stratification and mobility; Types of social mobility- Social and Occupational Mobility, Gender and Social Mobility- Factors affecting mobility.

Unit-V:

Reference Group Theory and Mobility. Sanskritization, Modernization, Westernization and Social Mobility. Elites in India-Social Mobility Trends in Rural and Urban India; Constraints to Social Mobility in India

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Dahrendorf, R. : Class and Conflict in an industrial society
Deepankar Gupta : Social Stratification, Rawat Publications
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Srinivas, M.N. : Religion and Society among the Coorgs of South India
Srinivas, M.N. : Social Change in Modern India
Tumin, M.M. : Social Stratification

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SEMESTER – II

SOC201: MODERN SOCIOLOGICAL THEORIES

- UNIT-I:** Introduction to Functional and Middle Range Theories - Talcott Parsons: Social Action and Social System – AGIL Paradigm – Social Evolution - Pattern Variables; Robert K. Merton: Middle Range Theory – Functional Analysis and Functional Alternatives – Theory of Cultural Anomie and Deviance;
- Unit-II:** Introduction to Conflict Theory: CW Mills: Power Elite - Class Relationship and Alliance - Sociological Imagination; Ralf Dahrendorf: Theory of Conflict - Class and Class Conflict in Industrial Society; Lewis Coser: The Functions of Social Conflict; George Simmel: Foundations of Conflict Theory - Levels of concern - Dialectical thinking - Individual consciousness – Sociability; Social Geometry – Philosophy of Money and Stranger – Secrecy, Filtration and Fashion.
- UNIT-III:** Overview on Neo-Marxism: Antonio Gramsci - Hegemony, Intellectuals and Education, State & Civil Society, Historicism, Critique of Economism and Materialism; Althusser: Marx Thought and The Epistemological Break, Marxism: Levels & Practices, Contradiction and Overdetermination, State Apparatus: Ideological and Repressive; Nicos Poulantzas: Instrumental Marxism - Classes in Contemporary Capitalism – Political Power and Social Classes.
- UNIT-IV:** Symbolic Interactionism: Charles Horton Cooley; George Herbert Mead, Herbert Blumer. Exchange Theory: George Homans, Peter Blau.
- UNIT-V:** Anthony Giddens: Structure, Agency and Structuration; Phenomenology and Ethnomethodology: Alfred Schutz, Harold Garfinkel, Husserl, Goffman.

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- Ritzer, George: Sociological Theory,
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- Sztompka, Piotr: Robert K. Merton. MacMillan, London, 1986
- Harlambos&Hallborn: Sociology: Themes & Perspectives, Collins, New York

SEMESTER – II

SOC202: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY – SOCIAL STATISTICS AND COMPUTER APPLICATIONS

UNIT I: Sociology as a Science; Scientific Method and Social Research. Ethical Issues in Social Research: Subjectivity vs Objective Debate, Value Neutrality. Types of Research: Pure and Applied – Qualitative and Quantitative - Cross-sectional and Time Series. Purpose of Research: Exploratory, Descriptive and Explanatory. Theory and Research – Concepts, Construct, Values, Hypothesis – Major Steps in Social Research.

UNIT II: Quantitative and Qualitative Research – Research Design – Aims and Importance – Types of Research Design – Exploratory Design -Descriptive Design – Experimental Design – Their Advantages and Disadvantages.

UNIT III: Sampling Techniques: Universe/Population, Characteristics of Sample, Criteria for Sample Size – Sample Size Formulas. Sampling Design: Probability and Non-Probability Methods – Tools and Techniques of Data Collection: Questionnaire, Interview Schedule, Observation, Interview, Case Study, Ethnography, Focus Group Study, PRA/PLA, Content Analysis, Oral History etc.

UNIT IV: Data Processing, Classification, Tabulation and Analysis. Social Statistics – Importance and Usage. Typological Statistical Data – Formation of Frequency Distribution Tables – Diagrammatic and Graphic Representation of Data. Measures of Central Tendency: Mean, Median, Mode – Quartile, Decile, Percentile. Measures of Dispersion: Range, Skewness, Kurtosis, Standard and Mean Deviation

UNIT V: Measures of Association/Relations: Correlation and Regression. Measures of Testing of Hypothesis: Parametric Tests: T-test, Z-test, ANOVA & MANOVA (F-test) – Non-Parametric tests: Chi-square, Phi-test, R-test etc. Introduction to Spread Sheet Packages: Ms-Excel, SPSS –Coding and Recoding – their Salient Features - Usage in Data Analysis. Research Report Writing – Purpose, Audience – Format, Tones & Styles (Citation & References)

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6. Pauline V. Young Scientific Social Survey and Research
7. Krishna Swamy Social Research and Surveys
8. B.N. Ghosh Social Research and Scientific Methods
9. Bernard Philips Strategy for Social Research
10. Paul LazarsfeldThe language of Social Research

SEMESTER – II

SOC203: SOCIOLOGY OF DEVELOPMENT AND CHANGE

1. Conceptual Perspective on Development

- a) Concept of Change, Progress and Development
- b) Economic Growth
- c) Human Development
- d) Social Development
- e) Sustainable Development: Ecological and Social

2. Theories of Development

- a) Liberal Theories: Max Weber, Gunnar Myrdal
- b) Economic Theory: Karl Marx
- c) Dependency Theories: Frank's Centre-Periphery theory, Samir Amin's Under-development theory, Wallerstein's World System theory
- d) Partial Theories: Theory of Big Push and Balanced Growth

3. Paths of Development

- a) Socialist
- b) Mixed Model
- c) Gandhian
- d) Capitalist

4. Social Structures and Development

- a) Social Structure as a facilitator / inhibitor
- b) Development and Socio-Economic Disparities
- c) Gender and Development.
- d) Culture as an aid / impediment in Development.

5. Development Issues in India

- a) Development Induced Displacement: SEZ, Dams, Industries
- b) Issues in Resettlement and Rehabilitation
- c) Development Planning and Policies: Industrial, Education, Agriculture, Health, Rural and Tribal Development

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2. GPH Panel of Experts (2018): Sociology of Development, Gullybaba Publishing House Pvt. Ltd.;
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SEMESTER – II

SOC204: INDIAN SOCIETY: STRUCTURE AND CHANGE

- UNIT – I:** Approaches to the Study of Indian Society:
- Indological / Textual Perspectives: Manu, Ghurye, Louis Dumont
 - Structural-Functional Perspective: MN Srinivas, SC Dube
 - Marxist Perspective: DP Mukherjee, AR Desai
 - Civilizational Perspective: NK Bose, SurajitSinha
 - Subaltern Perspective: Phule, BR Ambedkar, David Hardiman
- Ethnic Formation of Indian Society: Indo-Aryans, Dravidians and Aborigines and their contributions to the making of India's Social Structure and Culture – Critical Appraisals. Civilization: Unique Vs. Mosaic Theory of Indian Society.
- UNIT – II:** Foundation of Indian Social Organization: *Varnashramas – Purusharthas –Guna - Karma –* Rebirth and their Interpretation in Ancient and Contemporary Context. *Varna – Caste:* Features and Theories of Origin of Caste. Emergence of Jainism and Buddhism – Their Social Base, Philosophers and their Influences on Social Structure and Culture. Economy and Polity of Kautilya – Foundations of Adwaitha, Dwaitha, Visistaadwaitha etc. - Jajmani System.
- UNIT – III:** Advent of Islam and Zoroastrianism: Cultural Syncretism and Emergence of Divergent World-Views and Social Classes - Sufism and Bhakti Movements. Colonial Period: Advent of British and Christianity - Emergence of Modern Structures and Classes - Agrarian Social Structure & Unrest, Land Reforms, Education, Bureaucracy.
- UNIT – IV:** Dissent, Protest, Reformation - Intellectual Responses: European and Indian Thinkers - Max Muller, Karl Marx, Max Weber - Rajaram Mohan Roy, DayanandaSaraswathi, Vivekananda, Gandhi, Ambedkar, M.N. Roy. Revivalism: Westernization, Sanskritization, Hindutva.
- UNIT – V:** Post-Colonial Development: Indian Constitution and its Idea of Democracy, Secularism, Egalitarianism– Constitutional Provisions for SC, ST, BC and Women – Planning and Development. Tensions and Conflicts in India: Linguism, Casteism, Regionalism, Communalism - Social Movements – Globalization and Emerging Trends.

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- G.S. Ghurye: Caste and Race in India
M.N. Srinivas: The Dominant Caste and other essays. Oxford University Press.
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D.D. Kosambi: An Introduction to the Study of Indian History.
Dr. Ram Ahuja: Society in India, Rawat Publishers
Dr. Ram Ahuja: Indian Social System, Rawat Publishers
IrawatiKarveYuganta: The end of an epoch
Yogender Singh: Indian Sociology: Social Conditioning and emerging concerns,
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David Mandelbaum: Society in India, University of California Press

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SEMESTER – III
Paper I
Paper - SOC-301

PAPER-I: CONTEMPORARY SOCIOLOGICAL THEORIES

- UNIT-I:** Pre-Modernity: Great Chain of Being, Age of Renaissance and Enlightenment – Rene Descartes, Immanuel Kant, Condorcet, Hobbes, Locke, Rousseau, Voltaire, Francis Bacon and Tocqueville.
- UNIT-II:** The Project of Modernity: Classical theories – Karl Marx, Durkheim, Max Weber, George Simmel
Contemporary Theories – Anthony Giddens, Ulrich Beck, George Ritzer, Zygmunt Bauman, Jurgen Habermas.
- UNIT-III:** Critique of Modernity: New Philosophy of Science – Karl Popper and Thomas Kuhn, Post-structuralism – Deleuze, Jacques Derrida, Michel Foucault and Julia Kristeva
- UNIT-IV:** Critical Theory: Herbert Marcuse, Theodor Adorno and Horkheimer; Jurgen Habermas – Theory of World, Communicative Action – the Public Sphere; Eric Olin Wright – Sociology of Culture; Benedict Anderson – Imagined Communities; Aloysius – Nations and Nationalism.
- UNIT-V:** Idea and Condition of Post Modernity: Daniel Bell - Post Industrial Societies and The End of Ideology; Anthony Giddens, Zygmunt Bauman, Baudrillard, Lyotard, Foucault and Derrida on Post-Modernity; Frederic Jameson: Cultural logic of the late Capitalism; Critique of Post-Modernism: Alex Callinicos - Against Post-Modernism

References:

- Adorno, Theodor and Max Horkheimer. Dialectic of Enlightenment
Habermas Philosophical Discourse of Modernity
Harvey, David The Condition of Post-Modernity
Callinicos, Alex Against Post Modernism: A Marxist Critique
Jameson, Fredric Post Modernism or the cultural logic of late Capitalism
Bell, Daniel The coming of post-industrial society
Fukuyama, Francis The End of History and the Last Man
Foucault, Michel Madness and Civilization: Insanity in an Age of Reason
David Hald Introduction to Critical Theory
Lyotard The Post Modernisation: A Report
David Harvey The condition of Post Modernity: An Enquiry into the Origins of Cultural Change
Huber, et. Al Beyond Structuralism and hermeneutics
Edward Shils Traditions of Sociological Research
Jonathan H. Turner The Structure of Sociological Theory
Irving M. Zentlin Rethinking Sociology – A critique on Contemporary Theory
Rob Stones (ed) Key Sociological Theory
George Ritzer Sociological Theory
Louis Althusser For Marx

Paper -II
SEMESTER – III
Paper - SOC-302

PAPER – III: QUALITATIVE RESEARCH AND PARTICIPATORY LEARNING & ACTION (PLA) TECHNIQUES

UNIT-I: Qualitative Research – Meaning, Importance and Scope. Qualitative vs Quantitative Research – Methods of Qualitative Research – Mode of Enquiry: Participant Observation, Ethnography, In-depth Interview, Historical Analysis, Oral History, Life Story, Focus Group Study, Case Study.

UNIT-II: Down-to-Top Approach (Participatory Methods): Concepts, Meaning and Relevance. Advantages and Obstacles for People’s Participation, Origin and Sources of Participatory Techniques – RRA, PRA, PLA - Transition from Rapid Rural Appraisal (RRA) to Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) to Participatory Learning and Action (PLA).

UNIT-III: Principles and Methods of Participatory Learning & Action – Space Related Methods, Time Related Methods, Relationship Related Methods – Social & Resource Maps, Networking (Connectivity), Time line & Venn Diagrams, Matrix Scoring & Ranking, Tree diagram etc.

UNIT IV: PLA Fieldwork: Tool Kits and Fieldwork Plan - Attitudes and Behaviour of Stakeholders - Role of Facilitators and Researcher in the field. Field Experiences and Coping Mechanisms of Research Institutions and NGOs in conducting PLA.

UNIT V: Development Issues & Challenges: Data Processing and Analysis – Problem Identification, Findings & Outcomes, Designing Strategy. Developing Research Plan and Presentation of Report.

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| Somesh Kumar | Methods for community participation, Vistar Publications, 2002 |

SEMESTER-III (ELECTIVE – I)

PAPER –SOC – 303 A : INDUSTRIAL SOCIOLOGY

UNIT I: Introduction to Industrial Sociology

- a. Definition, Nature and Scope of Industrial Sociology
- b. Growth of Industrialisation, Industrial Revolution and its Impact on Society, Changing Structure of Modern Industrial Enterprises, Principles of Organisation - Formal and Informal

UNIT II: Sociological Theories related to Industry and Society:

- a. Classical theories: Adam Smith, Karl Marx, Max Weber and Durkheim
- b. Modern Sociological Theories: Scientific Management Theory of F.W. Taylor - Elton Mayo's Human Relations Approach – Harry Braverman's Labour and Monopoly Capital – Maslow theory of Industrial Management.

UNIT III: Industrial Disputes and Settlements:

- a. Causes and Consequences of Industrial Disputes
- b. Strikes, Lockouts, Layoff, Negotiation, Conciliation, Arbitration and Adjudication
- c. Industrial Dispute Act
- d. Workers Participation in Management and Collective Bargaining

UNIT IV: Labour Problems, Trade Union Movement and Labour welfare schemes

- a. Absenteeism, Alcoholism, and Alienation
- b. Issues of Industrial workers in organised and unorganised sector
- c. Labours Acts: Workmen Compensation Act 1923, Payment of Bonus Act, 1965, Factories Act 1948
- d. Incentives, Wages, Bonus and Other Benefits
- e. Trade Union Movement in India
- f. Labour welfare schemes
- g. Impact of Globalisation on Industry and Labour

References:

- Agarwal, R.D. Dynamics of Industrial Relations
Agarwal, R.D. Dynamics of Personnel Management in India
Basu, K.S. Dimension in Personnel Management
Berliner. W. and Management Practice and Training
Nicols, Ralph and
Schapiro, George, Personnel Management and Industrial Relations in India
Davis, Keith Human Behaviour at Work: Dynamics of Organizational Behaviour
Davis, R. C. Industrial Organisation and Management
C. B. Mamoria Personnel Management (Management of Human Resources)
Ganguli, H. C. Industrial Productivity and Motivation
Gisbert, Pascal, J. S. Fundamentals of Industrial Sociology
C. B. Mamoria Industrial Labour and Industrial Relations in India
Sinha, G. P. Industrial Relations and Labour Legislations In India

Semester – III (Elective – II)

Paper – 303 (b): POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY

1. Introduction to Political Sociology

- a) Meaning, Nature and Scope of Political Sociology
- b) Approaches to the Study of Politics
- c) Political Systems and Other Social Systems

2. Basic Concepts

- a) Power and Authority
- b) Consensus and Conflict
- c) Elites and Pressure groups
- d) State and Stateless Societies
- e) Concept of Citizenship, Human Rights, Democracy,
- f) Concept of Nation, State and Democracy

3. State and Society

- a) State and the Power, Class Structure, Hegemony
- b) Civil Society, Welfare State, Nation-State
- c) State and Society under capitalism and Socialism
- d) Power, Institutional Autonomy and State Control
- e) Ideology and Consensus

4. Voting Behaviour and Structures of Power

- a) Political Parties, Ideology and Voting Behaviour
- b) Impact of Caste, Class, Ethnicity, Religion and Region in Electioneering
- c) Panchayat Raj System and Decentralization of power
- a) Political Reservations, Participation of Weaker Sections in Politics and Social Change

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Keith Faulks (2011): Political Sociology: A Critical Introduction, Rawat Publications, Jaipur.
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Semester – III (Elective – III)

Paper – 303 (c): SOCIAL DEMOGRAPHY

Unit-I: Social Demography

- a. Nature and scope
- b. Demography and population Studies
- c. Sources of Demographic Data
 - i. Census, Vital Registration, Sample Survey and Population Registers

Unit – II: Population Theories

- a. Malthusian Theories
- b. Demographic Transition Theory
- c. Optimum Population Theory

Unit-III: Composition of Population in India

- a. Age and Sex (sex ratio and child sex ratio)
- b. Marital Status, Ethnic and Religious Composition
- c. Literary, Rural and Urban Population
- d. Trends in population growth in India

Unit-IV: Population Processes and Population policy:

- a. Fecundity, Fertility, Morality - its meaning and significance, measures of fertility and morality.
- b. Socio-economic factors effecting fertility and mortality
- c. Migration- types, factors and consequences of migration
- d. National Population policy

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SEMESTER – III

PAPER – (403-A) SOCIOLOGY OF ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

UNIT I: The concept of Environment and Society, Environmental Sociology: Issues and theoretical approaches. Risley E. Dunlop and Frederick M. Buttell Approaches. Human Ecology to Eco-Sociology. Global Environmentalism – A popular concern

The interface between Technology, nature and society. Environmental Policy - Environmental law and legislation – Pollution Monitoring and Control

UNIT II: Environmental Movements: Chipko Movement, Appiko Movement; Narmada Bachao Andolan; The Bhopal Gas Tragedy; Women and Environment, Eco-feminism: The role of NGOs in Environmental Movements, Environmental degradation and Climate change: Global Concerns

UNIT III: Sustainable Development: A Sociologist's view of the Definition, origin and implications of the concept. Environmental Management, Accounting and Commitment Conserving for the future operationalizing the sustainable development process. Natural Resource Management – Self-reliance, appropriate technology, Institution building, Water management, participatory development.

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- UNIT II:** Reform Movements: Brahma Samaj, AryaSamaj, PrarthanaSamaj, Social justice Movements; – Dalit and Self Respect Movements SNDP Movement, SatyashodakSamaj and Basva movement
- UNIT III:** Radical/ Revolutionary Movements
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1. Gender in Sociological Analysis, Social Structure and Gender Inequality

- b) Gender as Social Construction
- c) Approaches to the Study of Gender
- d) Models of Gendered Socialization
- e) Cultural Symbolism and Gender Roles
- f) Patriarchy and Matriarchy
- g) Division of Labour: Production and Reproduction
- h) Family, Work and Property

2. Theories and Perspectives of Feminism

- a) Liberal Feminism
- b) Marxist / Radical Feminism
- c) Socialist Feminism
- d) Post-Modern Feminism

3. Gender and Development

- a) Indicators of Women Status: Demographic, Social, Economic, Educational and Workforce
- b) Women Empowerment in India: Schemes, Policies, Strategies and Programmes
- c) Voluntary Sector and Women Development

4. The Politics of Gender:

- a) Women's Movements in Pre-Independence and Post-Independence India
- b) Current Women's Movements
- c) Displacement and Eco-Feminism
- d) Women Reservation as Socio-Political Issue

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- a) **Social Issues:** Illiteracy, Untouchability, Casteism, Communalism, Violence against Women, Child Labour, Bonded Labour, Caste Conflicts, Poverty, Unemployment
- b) **Developmental Issues:** Regional Imbalances, Environmental Degradation, Displacement

2. Understanding Social Policy

- a) Social Policy: Concept, Significance and Implementation
- b) National Policies for Women, Children, Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, OBC, Minorities, Aged and Disabled.

3. Social Development and Human Development:

- a) Concept of Social Development, its Theories and Models
- b) Perspectives on Social Development: Marxist, Subaltern and Feminist
- c) Approaches and Strategies for Social Development: Growth with Equity, Minimum Needs and Quality of Life.
- d) Concept of Human Development and its Indicators and Models

4. Welfare Schemes

- a) Constitutional Safeguards for SC, ST, OBC, Women, Minorities, Children, Aged and Disabled
- b) National and State Level Welfare Schemes for SC, ST, OBC (BC), Minorities, Aged and Disabled

5. Contemporary Concerns Related to Social and Human Development

- a) Globalization, Human Development, Sustainable Development
- b) Problems of Social and Human Development in India.
- c) Overview of Human Development Reports with special reference to India

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2. **Culture**
 - a. Concept, Definition and Characteristic of culture
 - b. Cultural Traits, Ethos and Cultural Processes: Fission, Diffusion, Acculturation, Enculturation, Assimilation.
 - c. Cultural Theories: British, American and Chicago School of thoughts -Tylor, Malinowski and Benedict on culture.
3. **Social Institutions**
 - a. Family and Marriage: Definitions, Characteristics and Typologies
 - b. Kinship: Structure, Types and Usages.
 - c. Clan, Moiety, Pharty, Lineage, Descent & Alliance
4. **Tribal Economy, Polity and Religion**
 - a. Characteristics and Forms of Tribal Economy: Formalist, Substantivist and Market Exchange
 - b. Tribal Religion: Animism, Animatism, Totemism, Naturism, Shamanism, Structural-Functionalism - Functions of Religion
 - c. Religion and Magic: James Frazer, Raymond Firth
5. **Tribal Problems, Law and Justice**
 - a. Tribal Law and Justice
 - b. Exploitation of Tribes
 - c. Land alienation and Displacement
 - d. Problems of Health and Nutrition
 - e. Constitutional Provisions for Scheduled Tribes
 - f. Tribal Development in India

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- UNIT-II:** Concept of Community Health – Changing concepts – Physical, Mental, Social and Positive health – Ecology of health – Determinants of health – health and welfare – Indicators of health – Changing concepts of primary health care. Health services – concept – objectives – Nutrition and health – Social aspects of nutrition – Malnutrition and Diseases - Occupation and Health Hazards. Preventive measures – environmental sanitation – measures for women and children communicable diseases– HIV/AIDS – Preventive methods.
- UNIT-III:** Health care services – Health care systems – Indigenous system of medicine – Ayurveda – Unani homeopathy – Public sector – rural health scheme – health insurance scheme – corporate Hospitals and health services – Health Programmes in India – Health for all – National Strategy in India.
- UNIT- IV:** Health planning and Management – Health care Management methods and techniques – National health policy – Bhole committee – Mukherjee committee – Kartarsingh committee – planning committee.

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- UNIT – II:** Perspectives on Crime Causation – Clinical, Positivist, Psychological, Sociological, Geographical
- UNIT - III:** Changing profile of crime and criminals – Organized Crime, Crime Against women, children, Cyber Crimes, Corruption, White Collar Crime; Changingsocio-economic profile of criminals in India
- UNIT – IV:** Punishment – its types and theories, Futility and Cost of Punishment; Correction and its forms – Significance of Correction, Prison based and Community based - Open air prison
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